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# Town Officers

ELECTED BIENNIALLY

**Moderator**
John C. Hilliard

**Supervisors of Check List**
Frederick P. Montrose Robert W. Baldwin
Florence G. Foss

OFFICERS ELECTED ANNUALLY

**Town Clerk**
A. Warren Webster

**Selectmen**
Philip N. Tilton, '41 Charles W. Monahan, '40
George B. Freeman, '42

**Treasurer**
Frank A. J. Avery

**Collector of Taxes**
Charles A. Currier

**Highway Agent**
Alcide J. Byron

**Auditors**
Abbie M. Webster Dorothy Montrose

**Trustees of Public Library**
Hazel Hilliard, '41 George E. Morrill, '42
Anna G. Richardson, '40

**Librarian**

Hazel R. Hilliard

**Fence Viewers**

Ernest F. West
Charles F. Knights
Horace J. French

**Surveyors of Wood, Lumber and Bark**

Alfred W. Webster
Harvey P. Marsh

**Weighers**

Horace J. French
Charles F. Knights
Harvey P. Marsh
Robert W. Baldwin

**Police**

George M. Gatcomb

**Gale Cemetery Committee**

Archie A. Rose
Robert W. Baldwin
Charles A. Richardson

**Cemetery Committee**

Archie A. Rose
Lewis B. Tilton
Charles Richardson

**Trustees of Trust Funds**

Alvin E. Foss, '41
Bessie B. Monahan, '42
Charles A. Currier, '40

# Town Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the inhabitants of the Town of East Kingston in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said East Kingston on Tuesday, the 12th day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $75.00 for Memorial Day purposes.

5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for library.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $25.00 (for shovels, fire-rakes, etc.) for forest fire equipment; the state to match by equal amount.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $146.68 against the State appropriation of

$586.72 for Class V roads assistance. No town may receive both Class V and State Aid in same year.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $487.50 against the State appropriation of $1,000.00 for State Aid construction; this sum to be expended on the East Road.

9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money extra for Town roads for the purpose of preparing for and tarring new sections of roads.

10. To see if the town will vote to take from the Town Maintenance appropriation, money for seal coat of tar on roads tarred last year, with the exception of Lombard Hill.

11. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the old road from the new house of Philip Warren to the residence of Mrs. Nellie Clements.

12. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen in behalf of the town to request, and co-operate with the State of New Hampshire and its appropriate agencies, to construct, control and repair the Trickling Falls Dam at East Kingston on the Powwow river, in order to restore Trickling Falls lake, so-called, in the towns of East Kingston and Kingston, thereby conserving, protecting, developing and enhancing the present as well as the potential, natural and recreational resources of the said Town and State and also thereby otherwise promoting the benefits and welfare of this State.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of improving the general conditions of the Old Cemetery.

14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to replace the present light fixtures in the Town Hall with dome lights in the ceiling.

15. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 26th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty.

CHARLES W. MONAHAN,
PHILIP N. TILTON,
GEORGE B. FREEMAN,
Selectmen of East Kingston.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CHARLES W. MONAHAN,
PHILIP N. TILTON,
GEORGE B. FREEMAN,
Selectmen of East Kingston.

# Budget of the Town of East Kingston, N. H.

Estimates of revenue and expenditures for the ensuing year Feb. 1, 1940 to January 31, 1941 compared with actual revenue and expenditures of the previous year February 1, 1939 to January 31, 1940.

SOURCES OF REVENUE

| | Actual Revenue Previous Year 1939 | Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1940 | Increase | Decrease |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| From State: | | | | |
| Interest and dividends tax | $ 374.95 | $ 400.00 | $25.05 | |
| Insurance tax | 31.12 | 31.12 | | |
| Railroad tax | 313.75 | 313.75 | | |
| Savings bank tax | 132.23 | 132.23 | | |
| From Local Sources Except Taxes. | | | | |
| Interest received on taxes and deposits | 85.46 | 85.46 | | |
| Alfred Webster, pay for men 1 day shoveling dirt on Willow Road | 16.00 | | | $ 16.00 |
| Motor vehicle permit fees | 630.71 | 550.00 | | 80.71 |
| From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes: | | | | |
| Poll taxes | 314.00 | 320.00 | 6.00 | |
| Dog fund | 100.80 | 90.80 | | 10.00 |
| Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes: | | | | |
| Anticipation of taxes | 3,500.00 | 3,500.00 | | |
| Total revenues from all sources except property taxes | $5,499.02 | $5,423.36 | $31.05 | $106.71 |

## PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

| | Actual Expenditures Year 1939 | Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1940 | Increase | Decrease |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Current Maintenance Expenses: | | | | |
| General Government: | | | | |
| Town officers' salaries | $ 387.43 | $ 387.43 | | |
| Town officers' expenses | 264.21 | 264.21 | | |
| Election and registration expenses | 22.40 | 172.60 | $ 150.00 | |
| Expenses Town Hall and other town bldgs. | 267.65 | 230.00 | | $ 37.65 |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | | | | |
| Police department | 12.90 | 25.00 | 12.10 | |
| Fire department | 165.00 | 100.00 | | 65.00 |
| Forest fire equipment | 25.00 | 25.00 | | |
| Health: | | | | |
| Damage by dogs | 10.50 | | | 10.50 |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | | |
| Town maintenance | 561.86 | 814.00 | 252.14 | |
| Town snows | 234.00 | 1,000.00 | 766.00 | |
| General expenses of highway department | 65.33 | 100.00 | 34.67 | |
| Special appropriation, South road | 404.60 | | | 404.60 |
| Special appropriation, Willow road | 499.65 | 500.00 | .35 | |
| Tarring Lombard hill | 145.30 | | | 145.30 |
| Libraries: | | | | |
| Libraries | 135.00 | 135.00 | | |
| Public Welfare: | | | | |
| Town poor | 6.00 | 100.00 | 94.00 | |
| Old age assistance | 430.88 | 400.00 | | 30.88 |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | | | |
| Memorial Day and other celebrations | 75.00 | 75.00 | | |
| Church clock | 10.00 | 10.00 | | |
| Public Service Enterprises: | | | | |
| Cemeteries | 62.00 | 75.00 | 13.00 | |
| Adding machine | 50.00 | | | 50.00 |

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Interest: | | | | |
| On temporary loans ..... | 37.44 | 50.00 | 12.56 | |
| Outlay for New Construction and Perm. Improve. | | | | |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | | |
| Town construction Class V ..... | 147.31 | 147.31 | | |
| Legal expense ..... | 15.00 | | | 15.00 |
| Indebtedness: | | | | |
| Payment on Principal of Debt: | | | | |
| Temporary loans .... | 3,750.00 | 3,500.00 | | 250.00 |
| Payments to Other Governmental Divisions: | | | | |
| County taxes ..... | 1,790.04 | 1,768.24 | | 21.80 |
| Payments to School Districts ..... | 4,435.80 | 5,000.00 | 564.20 | |
| Total expenditures ..... | $14,010.30 | $14,878.79 | $1,899.02 | $1,030.73 |

## Selectmen's Report

Town of East Kingston in account with the Selectmen for the year ending January 31, 1940.

### Valuation April 1, 1939

| | |
|---|---|
| Land and buildings | $281,305.00 |
| 34 Horses | 3,400.00 |
| 149 Cows | 8,295.00 |
| 20 Other neat stock | 820.00 |
| 2 Oxen | 150.00 |
| 700 Fowl | 560.00 |
| 370 Cords pine wood | 925.00 |
| 25 M Lumber | 300.00 |
| 11 Gasoline pumps | 960.00 |
| Stock in trade | 3,391.00 |
| Water privilege | 8,000.00 |
| Poles, wires and fixtures, Exeter & Hampton Elec. Co. | 7,700.00 |
| Poles, wires and right of way, N. H. Gas & Electric Co. | 9,552.00 |
| Mills and Machinery | 250.00 |
| Total taxable property | $325,608.00 |
| Soldiers' exemption | 19,760.00 |

### Taxes Assessed For 1939

| | |
|---|---|
| County tax | $1,790.04 |
| School tax | 4,743.67 |
| Town charges | 500.00 |
| Library | 100.00 |
| Special appropriation (Willow road) | 500.00 |
| Special appropriation (South road) | 300.00 |
| Class V construction | 147.31 |
| Tarring Lombard Hill | 150.00 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Memorial Day | | 75.00 |
| Union and Old Cemeteries | | 35.00 |
| Adding machine | | 50.00 |
| Forest fire equipment | | 25.00 |
| Town maintenance | | 814.02 |
| Overlay | | 72.50 |
| | | $9,302.54 |
| Property tax | $8,856.54 | |
| Poll taxes (223) | 446.00 | |
| | | $9,302.54 |

Tax rate, $27.20 per $1,000.00

**Assets**

| | |
|---|---|
| Cash on hand | $1,463.74 |
| Due from Tax Collector | 1,415.93 |
| Paid for Kennard land | 24.51 |
| Paid for Watkins' land | 26.52 |
| | $2,930.70 |

**Liabilities**

| | |
|---|---|
| 1939 Dog fund | $ 90.30 |
| Schools | 1,893.67 |
| Balance of appropriation: | |
| State aid construction | 39.76 |
| Forest fire equipment | 4.00 |
| Willow road (special appropriation) | 16.35 |
| Tarring Lombard Hill | 4.70 |
| January O. A. A. bill | 28.50 |
| | $2,077.28 |
| Excess of assets over liabilities | 853.42 |

**Selectmen's Receipts**

| | |
|---|---|
| Apr. 15—Note, Rockingham National Bank | $1,000.00 |
| May 3—Note, Rockingham National Bank | 1,000.00 |
| May 8—From Alfred W. Webster, pay for men shoveling dirt for fill on Willow road | 16.00 |

| | |
|---|---|
| June 17—Note, Rockingham National Bank | 1,000.00 |
| Oct. 23—Refund, State of N. H. for overpayment on Forest fire equipment | 4.00 |
| Oct. 26—Note, Rockingham National Bank | 500.00 |
| Dec. 27—From State, insurance, railroad and Savings Bank tax | 477.10 |
| Dec. 27—From State, Interest and Dividend tax | 374.95 |
| | $4,372.05 |

**Summary of Payments**

| | |
|---|---|
| Town officers' salaries | $ 387.43 |
| Town officers' expenses | 264.21 |
| Election and registration | 22.40 |
| Town Hall | 267.65 |
| Police Department | 11.50 |
| Fire Department | 165.00 |
| Forest fire equipment (Town's share) | 25.00 |
| Town maintenance | 561.86 |
| Special appropriation (Willow road) | 499.65 |
| Special appropriation (South road) | 404.60 |
| Tarring Lombard Hill | 145.30 |
| Town snows | 234.00 |
| Class V roads (Town's share) | 147.31 |
| General expense of highway department | 65.33 |
| Libraries | 135.00 |
| Cemeteries | 62.00 |
| Church clock | 10.00 |
| Adding machine | 50.00 |
| Legal advice | 15.00 |
| Damage by dogs | 10.50 |
| Care of tramps | 1.40 |
| Old age assistance | 430.88 |
| Town poor | 6.00 |
| Memorial Day | 75.00 |
| Payment of temporary loans | 3,750.00 |
| Interest on temporary loans | 37.44 |
| County tax | 1,790.04 |
| Schools | 4,435.80 |
| | $14,010.30 |

## GENERAL GOVERNMENT

### Town Officers' Salaries

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Frank A. J. Avery, Treasurer | | $45.00 |
| Philip N. Tilton, Selectman | | 75.00 |
| Charles W. Monahan, Selectman | | |
| Mar. 18, Meeting Tax Commissioners at Portsmouth, 1 day | $3.20 | |
| April 1-3, Taking inventory, 2 days | 6.40 | |
| April 15, Receiving inventory blanks | 3.20 | |
| April 19, Valuing property, 8 hrs. | 3.20 | |
| Aug. 23-24, Taking 4 tramps to Kingston | 2.00 | |
| Jan. 4, Meeting Rockingham County Taxpayer's association, 4 hrs. | 1.60 | |
| Jan. 30-31, Closing Town books | 6.40 | |
| | | 26.00 |
| George B. Freeman, Selectman | | |
| Mar. 18, Meeting Tax Commissioners at Portsmouth, 1 day | 3.20 | |
| April 1-3, Taking inventory, 2 days | 6.40 | |
| April 15, Receiving inventory blanks | 3.20 | |
| April 19, Assessing property | 3.20 | |
| Nov. 26, Taking tramp to Exeter | 1.00 | |
| Jan. 4, Meeting Taxpayer's association at Exeter, 4 hrs. | 1.60 | |
| Jan. 5, Meeting Water Resource Board, 2 hrs. | .80 | |
| Jan. 30-31, Closing Town books, 2 days | 6.40 | |
| | | 25.80 |
| Florence J. Foss, Auditor | | 5.00 |
| Abbie M. Webster, Auditor | | 5.00 |
| Alfred W. Webster, Town Clerk | | |
| Attending and recording records of annual Town meeting | 6.00 | |
| Recording taxes and appointments | 6.00 | |
| Recording 4 births, 5 marriages and 10 deaths @ 25c each | 4.75 | |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Issuing 185 automobile permits @ 25c | 46.25 | |
| Recopying annual town meeting records for town report | 1.00 | |
| | | 64.00 |
| Charles A. Currier, Tax Collector | | |
| Collecting balance 1937 taxes | $ 30.87 | |
| Collecting balance 1938 taxes | 1,515.06 | |
| Collecting on 1939 taxes and interest | 7,896.23 | |
| | $9,442.16 | |
| 1½% of total collected equals salary | | 141.63 |
| | | $387.43 |

**Town Officers' Expenses**

| | |
|---|---|
| Robinson Seal Co., white cloth ballot seals for Town Clerk | $ 2.55 |
| King Daughters, dinner and supper for 11 town officers at town meeting | 5.50 |
| Association for N. H. Assessors, dues 1939 | 2.00 |
| The Rowe Printing Co., March ballots | 5.50 |
| Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc. | |
| Treasurer's cash book | 5.00 |
| 75 dog tags | 4.60 |
| Tax book | 1.50 |
| George B. Stevens, premium on bonds of Town Treasurer and Town Clerk | 30.00 |
| The Baker Agency, premium on bonds of Tax Collector and Trustees of Trust funds | 30.00 |
| The Amesbury Publishing Co., Inc. | |
| 400 Town Reports, 80 pages | 120.00 |
| 400 Receipts and expense sheets | 2.50 |
| Wheeler & Clark, selectmen's stamps | 1.03 |
| Frank B. Nay, (8) names of deceased persons | .80 |
| John W. A. Green, examining records and copying 43 transfers @ 20c each | 8.60 |
| Batchelder's Book Store, 500-page record book | 9.00 |
| Exeter Banking Co., rent of safe deposit box | 5.50 |
| Philip N. Tilton, express on forest fire equipment | 1.15 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Charles W. Monahan, Selectman | |
| Taking inventory, 1 day, 18 miles @ 6c | 1.08 |
| Philip N. Tilton, Selectman | |
| Getting town reports printed and delivered, 1939 | 5.00 |
| Dinners, Selectmen at Portsmouth meeting Tax Commissioners | 1.85 |
| Stamped envelopes and stamps | 3.40 |
| Telephone calls | 1.10 |
| Blocks paper | .35 |
| Roll paper for adding machine | .10 |
| March warrants | .30 |
| Mileage, taking inventory 1 day and town business, 175 miles @ 6c | 10.50 |
| Alfred W. Webster, Town Clerk | |
| Telephone calls, stamps and supplies | 5.30 |
| | $264.21 |

**Election and Registration**

| | |
|---|---|
| Alvin E. Foss, services at Town Meeting | $ 3.20 |
| Ralph H. Buswell, services at Town Meeting | 3.20 |
| Bernard Merrick, services at Town Meeting | 3.20 |
| William Sullivan, services at Town Meeting | 3.20 |
| Charles F. Knights, services at Town Meeting | 3.20 |
| Philip N. Tilton, services at Town Meeting | 3.20 |
| John C. Hilliard, Moderator at Town Meeting | 3.20 |
| | $22.40 |

**Town Hall Expense**

| | |
|---|---|
| Exeter & Hampton Electric Co. | $ 38.45 |
| G. H. Stackpole, lettering Town Hall | 15.00 |
| George B. Freeman, 1,000 ft. lumber for attic floor | 23.00 |
| American Oil Products Co., 225 gals. of tar, for front of hall | 28.05 |
| Harvey P. Marsh, laying attic floor, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| E. J. Dickey, laying attic floor, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Leslie E. Webster, fire insurance | 76.00 |
| Geo. P. Kimball & Sons, rope for flag pole | 1.75 |
| Harry S. Clark, fixing lights and fuses | 1.00 |
| James Monahan, 5 cords hard wood | 36.00 |
| 1 cord pine wood | 4.00 |
| William Bruce, sawing 5 cords wood | 6.00 |
| Harvey P. Marsh, Janitor services | |
| Feb. 2, Church | 1.00 |
| Feb. 23, Kings Daughters | 1.00 |
| Mar. 6, Farm Bureau | 1.00 |
| Mar. 11, Putting up booths | 1.00 |
| Mar. 14, Election | 1.00 |
| Mar. 15, Taking down booths | 1.00 |
| Mar. 15, Boys' 4-H club | 1.00 |
| Mar. 18, Girls' 4-H club | 1.00 |
| Mar. 21, School meeting | 1.00 |
| April 27, Kings Daughters | 1.00 |
| May 19, Church | 1.00 |
| May 20, Kings Daughters | 1.00 |
| May 29, To Exeter for flag rope and putting it in | 2.00 |
| June 10, Hazel Webster Floyd shower | 1.00 |
| June 20, School | 1.00 |
| June 24, Hazel Webster Floyd reception | 1.00 |
| Sept. 14, Kings Daughters | 1.00 |
| Oct. 9, Garden Club | 1.00 |
| Oct. 18, N. H. Truck Owners Association | 1.00 |
| Oct. 28, Hallowe'en Party | 1.00 |
| Nov. 23, Kings Daughters | 1.00 |
| Nov. 27, Farm Bureau | 1.00 |
| Dec. 9, Kings Daughters | 1.00 |
| | $ 24.00 |
| Putting 6 cords wood in hall | 6.00 |
| Putting wood in Library | 2.00 |
| Total | $ 32.00 |
| Total Town Hall expense | $267.65 |

## PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

### Police Department

George M. Gatcomb, Chief of Police

| | |
|---|---|
| Automobile accident, Currier corner (Powwow) 3 hrs. | $ 1.50 |
| George M. Gatcomb, services as dog officer | 10.00 |
| | $11.50 |

### Fire Department

| | |
|---|---|
| Kingston Fire Dept., L. E. Webster fire | $100.00 |
| Kingston Fire Dept., Fred Montrose fire | 50.00 |
| Kingston Fire Dept., Bartlett field fire | 15.00 |
| | $165.00 |

State of New Hampshire

| | |
|---|---|
| Town's share of forest fire equipment | 25.00 |

## ALCIDE BYRON, ROAD AGENT
### Account for 1939

Cleaning Ditches and Culverts

Week ending April 1

| | |
|---|---|
| Harris Woodworth, 17½ hrs. | $ 7.00 |
| Warren Barnes, 7½ hrs. | 3.00 |
| William Ritchie, 24 hrs. | 9.60 |
| Alcide Byron, 24 hrs. | 9.60 |

### Work on Willow and South Road

Week ending April 8

| | |
|---|---|
| Harvey P. Marsh, truck, 19 hrs. | 23.75 |
| Ernest Currier, truck, 21½ hrs. | 26.88 |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 27 hrs. | 33.75 |
| William Ritchie, 27 hrs. | 10.80 |
| Harris Woodworth, 26 hrs. | 10.40 |
| Bernard Merrick, 27 hrs. | 10.80 |
| Raymond Boudreau, 27 hrs. | 10.80 |
| E. J. Dickey, 19 hrs. | 7.60 |

| | |
|---|---|
| A. E. Wright, 19 hrs. | 7.60 |
| Shirley Bradeen, 13 hrs. | 5.20 |
| Harry Ritchie, 5 hrs. | 2.00 |
| James Campbell, gravel, 95 loads | 14.25 |

**South Road**

Week ending April 15

| | |
|---|---|
| William Ritchie, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| Harry Ritchie, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| Fred West, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| A. E. Wright, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| Raymond Boudreau, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| Bernard Merrick, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| E. J. Dickey, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| Harris Woodworth, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| Harvey Marsh, truck, 8 hrs. | 10.00 |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 7 hrs. | 8.75 |
| Alcide Byron, 1 hr. | .40 |
| Ernest Currier, truck, 8 hrs. | 10.00 |
| James Campbell, gravel, 42 loads | 6.30 |

**Work on Stumpfield and South Road**

Week ending April 22

| | |
|---|---|
| Bernard Merrick, 10 hrs. | 4.00 |
| William Ritchie, 10 hrs. | 4.00 |
| Harry Ritchie, 10 hrs. | 4.00 |
| Harris Woodworth, 10 hrs. | 4.00 |
| Arthur Ross, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| Fred West, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| E. J. Dickey, 1 hr. | .40 |
| Ernest Currier, truck, 10 hrs. | 12.50 |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 10 hrs. | 12.50 |
| James Campbell, gravel, 35 loads | 5.25 |

**Scraping, Raking and Hauling Rocks**

Week ending April 29

| | |
|---|---|
| Bernard Merrick, 4 hrs. | 1.60 |
| William Ritchie, 4 hrs. | 1.60 |
| Harry Ritchie, 4 hrs. | 1.60 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Fred West, 19 hrs. | 7.60 |
| Arthur Ross, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| Homer Boudreau, 35 hrs. | 14.00 |
| Leland Robbins, 12 hrs. | 4.80 |
| Harris Woodworth, 4 hrs. | 1.60 |
| Alcide Byron, 3 hrs. | 1.20 |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 32 hrs. | 40.00 |
| Ernest Currier, truck, 4 hrs. | 5.00 |
| James Campbell, gravel, 19 loads | 2.85 |

**Scraping Giles Road**

Week ending May 6

| | |
|---|---|
| Homer Boudreau, 7 hrs. | 2.80 |
| Alcide Byron, 2 hrs. | .80 |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 5 hrs. | 6.25 |

**Cutting Bushes**

Week ending September 2

| | |
|---|---|
| Harris Woodworth, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| William Ritchie, 13 hrs. | 5.20 |

Moving Tree from Sanborn Road

| | |
|---|---|
| Alcide Byron, truck, 1 hr. | 1.25 |

**Cutting Bushes**

Week ending September 12

| | |
|---|---|
| Alcide Byron, 3 days | 9.60 |
| Harris Woodworth, 3 days | 9.60 |
| William Tatro, 3 days | 9.60 |
| William Ritchie, 3 days | 9.60 |

**Cutting Bushes**

Week ending October 14

| | |
|---|---|
| William Tatro, 31½ hrs. | 12.60 |
| E. J. Dickey, 32 hrs. | 12.80 |
| A. E. Wright, 12 hrs. | 4.80 |
| Alcide Byron, 32 hrs. | 12.80 |
| Hector Boudreau, mowing machine, 2½ hrs. | 3.75 |

**Cutting Bushes**

Week ending October 21

| | |
|---|---|
| E. J. Dickey, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| William Tatro, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| A. E. Wright, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |

**Cleaning Up Stumpfield Road After Class V Work**

Week ending October 28

| | |
|---|---|
| A. E. Wright, 18½ hrs. | 7.40 |
| William Tatro, 9 hrs. | 3.60 |
| Alcide Byron, 18½ hrs., truck | 23.13 |

**Patching Willow Road and Lombard Hill**

Week ending December 9

| | |
|---|---|
| Harris Woodworth, 7 hrs. | 2.80 |
| A. E. Wright, 3½ hrs. | 1.40 |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 7 hrs. | 8.75 |
| James Campbell, gravel, 2 loads | .30 |

**Fixing Hole in Culvert**

Week ending January 31

| | |
|---|---|
| Alcide Byron, truck, 1 hr. | 1.25 |
| William Ritchie, 1 hr. | .40 |

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|---|---|---|
| | | $561.86 |
| Town maintenance | | $814.02 |
| Interest on note of $250.00 @ 2% for 6 months | $ 2.50 | |
| Note of $250.00 payable in 1939 | 250.00 | |
| | | 252.50 |
| Appropriation for road agent | | $561.52 |

**Special Appropriation**

Willow Road, Week ending May 6

| | |
|---|---|
| Harvey P. Marsh, truck, 5 days, 2 hrs. | $ 52.50 |
| E. J. Dickey, 5 days, 2 hrs. | 16.80 |
| Fred West, 5 days | 16.00 |

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|---|---|
| Raymond Boudreau, 5 days, 1 hr. | 16.40 |
| Harris Woodworth, 3 days, 4 hrs. | 11.20 |
| William Ritchie, 3 days, 4 hrs. | 11.20 |
| Bernard Merrick, 3 days | 9.60 |
| Homer Boudreau, 3 days, 4 hrs. | 11.20 |
| Leland Robbins, 3 days, 4 hrs. | 11.20 |
| William Bruce, truck, 3 days, 4 hrs. | 35.00 |
| Earl Chamberlain, 5 days | 16.00 |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 1 day, 4 hrs. | 15.60 |
| Week ending May 13 | |
| Harvey P. Marsh, 3 hrs. | 1.20 |
| Harvey P. Marsh, truck, 13 hrs. | 16.25 |
| William Bruce, truck, 16 hrs. | 20.00 |
| E. J. Dickey, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| Harris Woodworth, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| Bernard Merrick, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| Leland Robbins, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| Fred West, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| Raymond Boudreau, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| Earl Chamberlain, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| Arthur Ross, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 16 hrs. | 20.00 |
| William Ritchie, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| James Campbell, gravel, 120 loads | 18.00 |
| George Jewell, sand, 11 loads | 1.65 |
| R. G. Watkins & Son, grader, 3 hrs. | 4.50 |
| David Hodgdon, operating grader, 3 hrs. | 1.50 |
| Alvin E. Foss, gas for grader | 1.00 |
| Week ending May 20 | |
| Harvey P. Marsh, truck, 3 hrs. | 3.60 |
| Bernard Merrick, 3 hrs. | 1.20 |
| E. J. Dickey, 3 hrs. | 1.20 |
| J. Stanton Hilliard, 1½ hrs. | .60 |
| Theodore Milbury, 1 hr. | .40 |
| American Oil Products Co., 1,195 gals. @ 11c | 131.45 |
| | $499.65 |
| Appropriation | $500.00 |
| Alfred W. Webster, paid men shoveling dirt for fill | $ 16.00 |

## Special Appropriation

South Road, Week ending August 19

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Harvey P. Marsh, truck, 37 hrs. | | $ 44.40 |
| Clyde Studivant, operating grader, 12 hrs. | | 7.20 |
| Harris Woodworth, 35 hrs. | | 14.00 |
| William Tatro, 35 hrs. | | 14.00 |
| Kenneth Pushee, 37 hrs. | | 14.80 |
| Roger West, 34 hrs. | | 13.60 |
| Harold Warren, 37 hrs. | | 14.80 |
| A. E. Wright, 29 hrs. | | 11.60 |
| William Ritchie, 29 hrs. | | 11.60 |
| Ralph B. West, 11 hrs. | | 4.40 |
| George F. Baker, 11 hrs. | | 4.40 |
| Glenn C. Stewart, 11 hrs. | | 4.40 |
| John E. Hoyt, 11 hrs. | | 4.40 |
| Charles A. Richardson Jr., 10 hrs. | | 4.00 |
| John S. Hilliard, 10 hrs. | | 4.00 |
| William Grover, 9 hrs. | | 3.60 |
| Harry Ritchie, 10 hrs. | | 4.00 |
| William Bruce, truck, 21 hrs. | | 25.20 |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 21 hrs. | | 25.20 |
| James Campbell, gravel, 110 loads | | 16.50 |
| State of N. H., use of State grader, 8 hrs. | | 12.00 |
| American Tar Co., tar for Morrill and Maddox hills, 1,150 gals. @ $11.78 | | 135.47 |
| State of N. H., for tar used on overrun | | 11.03 |
| | | $404.60 |
| Appropriation | $300.00 | |

## Tarring Lombard Hill

Week ending May 13

| | |
|---|---|
| Harvey P. Marsh, truck, 8 hrs. | $ 10.00 |
| Harvey P. Marsh, 8 hrs. | 3.20 |
| William Bruce, truck, 4 hrs. | 5.00 |
| E. J. Dickey, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| Harris Woodworth, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| Bernard Merrick, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |
| Leland Robbins, 16 hrs. | 6.40 |

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|---|---|---|
| Fred West, 16 hrs. | | 6.40 |
| Raymond Boudreau, 8 hrs. | | 3.20 |
| Earl Chamberlain, 16 hrs. | | 6.40 |
| Arthur Ross, 16 hrs. | | 6.40 |
| George Jewell, sand, 14 loads | | 2.10 |
| American Oil Products Co., 700 gals. | | 77.00 |
| | | $145.30 |
| Appropriation | $150.00 | |

**Town Snow**

R. G. Watkins & Son, Inc.

| | |
|---|---|
| Feb. 11, Ten ton V plow, 5½ hrs. @ $6.00 | 33.00 |
| Mar. 12-13, Ten ton V plow, 20 hrs. @ $6.00 | 120.00 |
| Mar. 14, Ten ton V plow, 8 hrs. @ $6.00 | 48.00 |
| Dec. 30, Ten ton V plow, 5½ hrs. @ $6.00 | 33.00 |
| | $234.00 |

**Class V Roads**

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|---|---|
| Treasurer, State of New Hampshire Town share | $147.31 |

**General Expenses of Highway Department**

Week ending April 22

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Taking Down Snow Fence | | |
| Bernard Merrick, 7 hrs. | $2.80 | |
| William Ritchie, 7 hrs. | 2.80 | |
| Harry Ritchie, 7 hrs. | 2.80 | |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 7 hrs. | 8.75 | |
| | | 17.15 |

Putting Up Snow Fence, Week ending October 28

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| William Ritchie, 13½ hrs. | $5.20 | |
| A. E. Wright, 13½ hrs. | 5.20 | |
| Harry Ritchie, 8 hrs. | 3.20 | |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 9½ hrs. | 11.88 | |
| Alcide Byron, 4 hrs. | 1.60 | |
| | | 27.08 |

Week ending November 18

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| William Tatro, 7½ hrs. | $3.00 | |
| Harris Woodworth, 5½ hrs. | 2.20 | |
| Alcide Byron, 5½ hrs. | 2.20 | |
| Alcide Byron, truck, 2 hrs. | 2.50 | |
| | | 9.90 |
| George P. Kimball & Sons, Ten feet—15 in. Akron tile for Old road | | 11.20 |
| | | $65.33 |

**Education—Libraries**

| | |
|---|---|
| Anna G. Richardson, treasurer, upkeep of library | $100.00 |
| Hazel R. Hilliard, librarian | 35.00 |
| | $135.00 |

**Cemeteries**

| | |
|---|---|
| Charles A. Richardson, care of E. Towle and J. Morrill lots | $ 7.00 |
| L. B. Tilton, Union and Old cemeteries | 35.00 |
| Harvey P. Marsh, opening graves of Pythias Woodworth, Edward Conley, Leslie E. Webster and Mrs. J. Robert Bruce | 20.00 |
| | $62.00 |

**Winding Church Clock**

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|---|---|
| Earl Stewart | $10.00 |

**Adding Machine**

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|---|---|
| Roland Eluto | $50.00 |

**Legal Advice**

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|---|---|
| Batchelder & Wheeler, time in office regarding tie vote of road agent | $15.00 |

**Damage by Dogs**

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|---|---|
| Edward J. Conley, 14 pullets killed | $10.50 |

### Care of Tramps

| | |
|---|---|
| Frank Cavaric, care of 4 tramps Aug. 23-24 @ 35c | $1.40 |

### Charities—Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire

| | |
|---|---|
| Feb., $126.00, 25% | $31.50 |
| Mar., $126.00, 25% | 31.50 |
| Apr., $156.00, 25% | 39.00 |
| May, $156.00, 25% | 39.00 |
| June, $281.00, 25% | 70.25 |
| July, $126.00, 25% | 31.50 |
| Aug., $270.00, 25% | 67.63 |
| Sept., $126.00, 25% | 31.50 |
| Oct., $126.00, 25% | 31.50 |
| Nov., $115.00, 25% | 28.75 |
| Dec., $115.00, 25% | 28.75 |
| | $430.88 |

### Town Poor

| | |
|---|---|
| Anthony Poggio, groceries for relief case | $6.00 |

### Patriotic Purposes

Memorial Day Expenses

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Memorial Day Committee (A. A. Rose) | | $75.00 |
| Removing trees at monument | $ 5.00 | |
| Music (Band) | 40.00 | |
| Flags for 1939-40 | 10.75 | |
| Wreath | 2.00 | |
| Minister | 2.00 | |
| Refreshments | 10.50 | |
| Material for cleaning Tablet | .50 | |
| | | 70.75 |
| Balance paid to Treasurer | | $4.25 |

### Payment of Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes

| | |
|---|---|
| Oct. 11, Rockingham National Bank, note due on Class V roads and note of $1,000.00 | $1,250.00 |

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|---|---|
| Dec. 12, Rockingham National Bank, note due Dec. 12 | 1,000.00 |
| Dec. 26, Rockingham National Bank, note due Dec. 26 | 1,500.00 |
| | $3,750.00 |

**Interest on Temporary Loans**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Interest on note of $1,250.00 for 6 months | | $12.50 |
| Interest on note of $1,000.00 for 6 months | | 10.00 |
| Interest on note of $1,000.00 for 6 months | | 10.00 |
| Interest on note of $1,500.00 for 2 months | $5.16 | |
| Less rebate on interest of $1,000 note for 4 days | .22 | |
| | | 4.94 |
| | | $37.44 |

**Other Governmental Divisions**

| | |
|---|---|
| Bessie B. Monahan, schools | $4,350.00 |
| 1938 dog tax | 85.80 |
| County tax | 1,790.04 |

CHARLES W. MONAHAN,
PHILIP N. TILTON,
GEORGE B. FREEMAN,
Selectmen of East Kingston,

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Feb. 9, 1940.

We have this day examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

ABBIE M. WEBSTER,
DOROTHY H. MONTROSE,
Auditors.

# REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS FOR YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1940

| Date of Creation | Purpose of Creation Name of Donor | How Invested | Amount of Principal | Rate of Int. | Bal. of Income On Hand at Beginning of Yr. | Income During Year | Expended During Year | Bal. of Income on Hand at End of Year |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1855 | School Fund, Jeremiah Morrill, donor | 2 Bonds, Bethlehem, N. H. water dist. | $2,000.00 | 4% | | $80.00 | $80.00 | |
| | | 10 Shares preferred stock, New Eng. Power Asso. | | | | 55.00 | 55.00 | |
| | | 6 Shares common stock, New Eng. Power Asso. | | | | | | |
| | | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 182.20 | *2¼% | | 4.11 | 4.11 | |
| 1882 | School Fund, Elizabeth Towle, donor | Economy Light & Power Co. bond | 1,000.00 | 5% | | 50.00 | 50.00 | |
| | | Savings Bank, Amesbury | 555.00 | 2½% | | 13.95 | 13.95 | |
| 1903 | O. S. Currier Cemetery Fund, Mrs. O. S. Currier, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 7.38 | 2.42 | 2.50 | $ 7.30 |
| 1910 | Irwin Kimball Cemetery Fund, Mrs. Irwin Kimball, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 10.96 | 2.49 | 4.50 | 8.95 |
| 1915 | Cemetery Fund, Ann McGowen, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 13.64 | 2.56 | 4.00 | 12.20 |
| 1917 | Cemetery Fund, Sarah L. Currier, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 2.68 | 2.28 | 2.50 | 2.46 |
| 1919 | Cemetery Fund, Emeline Buswell, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 58.38 | *2¼% | 18.14 | 1.70 | 1.50 | 18.34 |
| 1920 | Cemetery Fund, Franklin Cass, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 11.42 | 2.49 | 2.50 | 11.41 |

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1921 | Cemetery Fund, Thomas J. Heath, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 200.00 | *2¼% | 23.85 | 5.02 | 3.50 | 25.37 |
| 1922 | Cemetery Fund, Emeline A. Morrill, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 3.54 | 2.31 | 2.50 | 3.35 |
| 1925 | William Titcomb Cemetery Fund, Walter Titcomb, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 150.00 | *2¼% | 3.80 | 3.43 | 3.00 | 4.23 |
| 1925 | Stephen Sanborn Cemetery Fund, Walter Titcomb, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 150.00 | *2¼% | 3.23 | 3.43 | 2.50 | 4.16 |
| 1925 | Cemetery Fund, H. J. Shirley, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 2.50 | 2.28 | 2.50 | 2.28 |
| 1925 | Wilbur & Carter Cemetery Fund | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 11.47 | 4.74 | 4.00 | 12.21 |
| 1932 | Wilbur & Carter Cemetery Fund, Martha Wilbur, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | | | | | |
| 1925 | Cemetery Fund, Joseph F. Kimball, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 200.00 | *2¼% | 16.23 | 4.84 | 4.00 | 17.07 |
| 1927 | Cemetery Fund, Alcena E. Morrill, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 4.63 | 2.35 | 1.00 | 5.98 |
| 1927 | Joseph C. Sargent Cemetery Fund, Abbie E. Leonard, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 3.47 | 2.31 | 2.25 | 3.53 |
| 1928 | Cemetery Fund, Lyman B. Greeley, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 150.00 | *2¼% | .26 | 3.39 | 3.00 | .65 |
| 1929 | Cemetery Fund, George F. Morrill, donor | Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 18.54 | 2.67 | | 21.21 |
| 1929 | Helena L. Robinson Cemetery Fund, Helena L. Robinson, donor | Savings Dept., Exeter Banking Co. | 75.00 | *2¼% | 2.77 | 2.28 | 2.50 | 2.55 |
| 1933 | Mrs. F. E. Robinson, donor | | 25.00 | | | | | |
| 1929 | Cemetery Fund, Alice P. Tucker, donor | Savings Dept., Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 2.52 | 2.28 | 2.50 | 2.30 |

| Date of Creation | Purpose of Creation Name of Donor | How Invested | Amount of Principal | Rate of Int. | Bal. of Income On Hand at Beginning of Yr. | Income During Year | Expended During Year | Bal. of Income on Hand at End of Year |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1930 | Cemetery Fund, Fannie S. Sanborn, donor | Savings Dept., Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 1.03 | 2.28 | 2.50 | .81 |
| 1932 | Cemetery Fund, Mary E. Broadbent, donor | Savings Dept., Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 2.85 | 2.28 | 2.75 | 2.38 |
| 1933 | Cemetery Fund, Annie L. Lawrence, donor | Savings Dept., Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 4.24 | 2.33 | 2.00 | 4.57 |
| 1934 | Abbie A. Batchelder Cemetery Fund, Etta E Sawyer, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester | 200.00 | ‡2¾% | 6.92 | 5.72 | 5.00 | 7.64 |
| 1934 | General care of Hillside Cemetery Fund, Etta E. Sawyer, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester | 1,000.00 | ‡2¾% | 15.76 | 27.50 | 15.00 | 28.26 |
| 1935 | Samuel Harris Cemetery Fund, Augusta Attwill, donor | Savings Dept., Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | .58 | 2.26 | 2.00 | .84 |
| 1935 | Fred Peaslee Cemetery Fund, Frederick Holmes, donor | Savings Dept., Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 2.29 | 2.28 | 2.50 | 2.07 |
| 1937 | George B Webster Cemetery Fund, Francis Gowen and George Gooch, donors | Savings Dept., Exeter Banking Co. | 100.00 | *2¼% | 1.28 | 2.28 | 2.50 | 1.06 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1938 | Eben E. Bowley Cemetery Fund, Estate of Eben E. Bowley, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank Manchester | 100.00 | †2¾% | 1.77 | 2.81 | 2.25 | 2.33 |
| 1938 | Flora Allen Currier Cemetery Fund, Estate Flora Allen Currier donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank Manchester | 100.00 | †2¾% | 1.75 | 2.81 | 2.25 | 2.31 |
| 1938 | Cemetery Fund, Annie M. Buswell, donor | Amoskeag Savings Bank Manchester | 100.00 | †2¾% | 1.75 | 2.81 | 2.25 | 2.31 |
| 1938 | Cemetery Fund, Henry H. and Sadie H. Atwood, donors | Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester | 100.00 | †2¾% | .25 | 2.76 | 2.00 | 1.01 |
| 1939 | Joseph and Helena Currier, Mary and Haddea Svenson Cemetery Fund, E. Christine Swasey and Etta R Currier, donors | 1 Share American Tel. & Tel. stock | | | | ‡6.75 | 4.00 | 2.75 |

*Interest at rate of 2½%, Jan.-July; 2%, July-Jan. Average of 2¼%.
†Interest at rate of 3% Jan.-July; 2½% July-Jan. Average of 2¾%.
‡3 Quarterly dividends.

CHARLES A. CURRIER,
ALVIN E. FOSS,
BESSIE B. MONAHAN,
Trustees of Trust Funds

Feb. 9, 1940
We have this day examined the accounts of the Trustees of Trust Funds and find them properly cast and vouched for.

ABBIE M. WEBSTER,
DOROTHY H. MONTROSE,
Auditors.

# Public Library Treasurer's Report

East Kingston, N. H., Jan. 31, 1940.

## Receipts

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|---|---|
| Jan. 31, 1939 | |
| Cash on hand | $ 22.47 |
| Order of Selectmen | 100.00 |
| | $122.47 |

## Expenses

| | |
|---|---|
| 1939 | |
| Mar. 11, Mitchell & Co., book | $ 2.25 |
| Apr. 15, Mitchell & Co., book | 2.25 |
| May 15, Mitchell & Co., book | 2.25 |
| May 16, Esther Brown, Farm Journal | 1.00 |
| June 19, Mitchell & Co., book | 2.25 |
| July 1, Mitchell & Co., book | 1.80 |
| July 14, D. Ellison, magazines | 11.00 |
| Aug. 21, Mitchell & Co., book | 1.80 |
| Sept. 7, H. E. Newbloom, Country Home | 1.50 |
| Sept. 15, Mitchell & Co., book | 2.25 |
| Sept. 29, A. W. Dewhirst, Jack and Jill magazine | 3.00 |
| Oct. 15, Mitchell & Co., books | 3.60 |
| Nov. 17, Mitchell & Co., book | 1.80 |
| Dec. 15, Mitchell & Co., book | 1.80 |
| 1940 | |
| Jan. 17, Jean Karr, books | 5.29 |
| Jan. 20, The Marston Agency, insurance | 9.50 |
| Jan. 20, Loose-leaf editions of encyclopedia | .50 |
| Jan. 31, Mitchell & Co., books | 28.34 |
| Jan. 31, Anna G. Richardson, expense | .96 |

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| Jan. 31, Cash on hand | 39.33 |
| | $122.47 |

ANNA G. RICHARDSON,
Treasurer.

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Feb. 9, 1940.

We have this day examined the accounts of the Library Committee and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

ABBIE M. WEBSTER,
DOROTHY H. MONTROSE,
Auditors.

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## Report of East Kingston Public Library

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| | | Jan. 31, 1940. |
|---|---|---|
| Whole number of books | | 2,258 |
| Number added this year | | 78 |
| Number of times opened | | 50 |
| Number of cards issued | | 2 |
| Number of magazines loaned | | 186 |
| Number of books loaned: | | |
| Adult fiction | 1,072 | |
| Juvenile fiction | 293 | |
| Non-fiction | 120 | |
| | | 1,485 |
| Total circulation of books and magazines | | 1,671 |

List of books received this year as a gift from the New Hampshire Public Library Commission—State Aid Fund:

| Author | Title |
|---|---|
| Atwater | Mr. Popper's Penguins |
| Boylston | Sue Barton, Senior Nurse |
| Frost | Collected Poems |

| | |
|---|---|
| Grey | Western Union |
| Harper | Lonely Little Pig |
| Hogan | Kangaroo Twins |
| Johnson | Barney of the North |
| Lindberg | Listen, The Wind |
| Robinson | Medieval and Modern Times |
| Jackson | The Post War World |

By Way of Introduction, A Book List For Young People.

One year's subscription to Story Parade, a magazine recommended for children.

Columbia Encyclopedia.

A fine collection of books has been presented to the library by Mrs. A. J. Cole.

HAZEL R. HILLIARD,
Librarian.

# Collector's Report

## 1937 TAX

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Uncollected Feb. 1, 1939 | $ 31.32 | |
| Interest collected | 1.55 | |
| | | $ 32.87 |

Cr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Abatement: | | |
| Priscilla Roys, left state before tax committed | $ 2.00 | |
| Paid Frank A. J. Avery, Treasurer | 30.87 | |
| | | $ 32.87 |

## 1938 TAX

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Uncollected Feb. 1, 1939 | $1,455.09 | |
| Interest collected | 70.29 | |
| | | $1,525.38 |

Cr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Abatement: | | |
| George Cadrian, cattle over assessed | $ 2.32 | |
| Frank Davis, Poll tax assessed and paid in Exeter | 2.00 | |
| Nelson and Blanch Miron, left state | 4.00 | |
| Edvelle S. Roys, resident of Mass., April 1, 1938 | 2.00 | |
| Paid Frank A. J. Avery, Treasurer | 1,515.06 | |
| | | $1,525.38 |

## 1939 TAX

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Property taxes committed: | | |
| Resident | $6,548.02 | |
| Non-resident | 2,308.52 | |
| Poll taxes committed, 223 @ $2.00 | 446.00 | |
| Interest collected | 13.62 | |
| | | $9,316.16 |

Cr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Abatement: | | |
| Helen Hutchins, Poll tax assessed and paid in Exeter | $ 2.00 | |
| Estelle M. Reed, resident of New York April 1, 1939 | 2.00 | |
| Paid Frank A. J. Avery, Treasurer | 7,896.23 | |
| Uncollected | 1,415.93 | |
| | | $9,316.16 |

No real estate was sold in 1939 for collection of 1938 taxes. All real estate sold in previous years has been redeemed with the exception of two small pieces. The town has had the deeds to these pieces since before 1939.

CHARLES A. CURRIER,
Collector.

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Feb. 9, 1940.

We have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

ABBIE M. WEBSTER,
DOROTHY H. MONTROSE,
Auditors.

## Town Clerk's Report

| | |
|---|---|
| Received from tax on Automobiles: | |
| Jan. 31, 1939 to Jan. 31, 1940 | $630.71 |
| Paid Treasurer | 630.71 |
| Received from tax on dogs: | |
| Year 1939 | 100.80 |
| Paid Treasurer | 100.80 |
| Tax on 4 dogs uncollected | |

ALFRED W. WEBSTER,
Town Clerk.

Feb. 9, 1940.

We have this day examined the accounts of the Town Clerk and find them properly cast and vouched for.

ABBIE M. WEBSTER,
DOROTHY H. MONTROSE,
Auditors.

## Record of Town Meeting

ANNUAL MEETING

East Kingston, N. H., March 14, 1939.

The annual meeting was called to order at 10 A. M. by the Moderator, John C. Hilliard, the warrant was read and voters ordered to bring in ballots for Town Officers.

Art. I. Town officers elected as per list in front of this report.

Art. II. Started on Art. II at 7.15. Motion by Harvey Marsh and seconded pass over Art. II. Not a vote. Motion by Philip Tilton and seconded that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $500 to defray town charges for the ensuing year. Voted.

Art. III. Motion by Robert Baldwin and seconded that the Selectmen be authorized to hire money in anticipation of taxes. Voted.

Art. IV. Motion by Alfred Blake and seconded that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $75 for Memorial Day purposes. Unanimous vote.

Art. V. Motion by Robert Baldwin and seconded that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $100 for the Library. Voted.

Art. VI. Motion by Philip Tilton and seconded that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $150 for seal coat of tar on Lombard Hill. Voted.

Art. VII. Motion by Edville Roys and seconded that Town raise and appropriate the sum of $25 for shovels, fire-rakes, etc., for forest fire equipment, the State to match by equal amount. Voted.

Art. VIII. Motion by Eben Bowley and seconded town raise $489 against the State's appropriation of $1,000 for State Aid construction; this sum to be expended on the East Road. Not a vote. Motion by Philip Tilton and seconded pass over Art. VIII. Voted.

Art. IX. Motion by Robert Baldwin and seconded town raise and appropriate the sum of $147.31 against the State's appropriation of $589.22 for Class V Road assistance. Voted.

Art. X. Motion by Robert Baldwin and seconded town raise and appropriate $500 to gravel and tar Willow Road as far as it will go. Voted.

Motion by Philip Tilton and seconded town raise and appropriate the sum of $300 to prepare for tar and tar the following hills: Greeley Hill, Hoyt Hill and Hill by Mrs. Mills. Amended—Provided it does not conflict with State specifications for Class V Roads. Voted.

Art. XI. Motion by Harvey Marsh and seconded we pass over Art. XI. Not a vote. Motion by Mrs. Roger Holmes and seconded that the town raise and appropriate the sum of $50 to buy an adding machine for the Town Officers. Voted.

Art. XII. Motion by Robert Baldwin and seconded we pass over Art. XII. Voted.

Art. XIII. Motion by Philip Tilton and seconded we give the Anniversary Committee a rising vote of thanks. Voted.

Motion by Robert Baldwin and seconded continue to print a copy of Town Meeting records in future years Town Reports. Voted.

Motion by A. L. Mackie and seconded that Archie A. Rose be Chairman of the Memorial Day Committee. Voted.

Motion by Frederick P. Montrose and seconded that the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen be paid $150 instead of $75. Not a vote.

Motion by A. A. Rose and seconded that the Town cease to have insurance on Town Hall. Amendment—put premium we now pay in bank. Not a vote.

Motion by Mrs. Doris Hatch and seconded that booths, rails, etc., be put on other side of Hall for Elections. Voted.

Motion by Philip Tilton and seconded that we sell large road machine for what we can get for it. Voted.

Motion by Archie L. Mackie and seconded that a record of the 200th Anniversary be recorded in our minutes, and that the completed records of the 200th Anniversary

be sent to the Historical Society in Concord to be kept as a permanent record. Voted.

Motion by Alcide Miron and seconded that the Selectmen be authorized to purchase necessary boards and put on attic floor to take care of what is necessary to keep overhead and to protect ceiling of the Hall. Voted.

Returned to Art. I for counting ballots and gave returns as listed under Art. I.

A true record. Attest:

ALFRED W. WEBSTER,
Town Clerk.

# Treasurer's Report

East Kingston, N. H., January 31, 1940.

Frank A. J. Avery, Treasurer, Town of East Kingston, N. H., makes the following report for the year 1939:

**Receipts**

| | |
|---|---|
| February 1, 1939, Cash on hand | $ 924.07 |
| Town Clerk dog fund | 100.80 |
| Town Clerk auto tax | 630.71 |
| Selectmen | 4,372.05 |
| Tax Collector | 9,442.16 |
| A A. Rose, Memorial Day refund | 4.25 |
| Total | $15,474.04 |
| Payments per orders | 14,010.30 |
| Balance on hand | $1,463.74 |

FRANK A. J. AVERY,
Treasurer.

Feb. 9, 1940.

We have this day examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

ABBIE M. WEBSTER,
DOROTHY H. MONTROSE,
Auditors.

## Report of Cemetery Committee for the Year Ending January 31, 1940

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand February 18, 1939 | | $ 67.94 |
| Rockingham Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company | $ 5.60 | |
| May 2, Paint for inside Gale House | 3.32 | |
| May 26, 1 Rake for cemetery | .89 | |
| July 26, C. E. Knights, 6 hrs. mowing | 2.40 | |
| May 28, Kenneth Pushee, work in cemetery | .75 | |
| April 10, 1 Combination Screen Door for Gale House | 4.85 | |
| 1 pair hinges | .29 | |
| 1 Door Set | .49 | |
| 10 ft. 4 in. gutter | .80 | |
| 4—4 in. hangers | .48 | |
| 12 ft. conductor pipe | .89 | |
| 1—3 in. elbow | .18 | |
| 3—3 in. conductor hooks | .42 | |
| 1 hay rake for cemetery | .89 | |
| May 15, Robert Baldwin, labor and material for 4 screens | 4.00 | |
| May 18, Robert Baldwin, 2 hrs. labor | .80 | |
| June 28, Robert Baldwin, 7 hrs. labor | 2.80 | |
| Aug. 3, Robert Baldwin, 2½ hrs. labor | 1.00 | |
| Aug. 4, A. E. Wright, 7 hrs. labor | 2.80 | |
| Aug. 4, Robert Baldwin, 3 hrs. labor | 1.20 | |
| Aug. 5, A. E. Wright, 5 hrs. labor | 2.00 | |
| Aug. 7, A. E. Wright, 9 hrs. labor | 3.60 | |
| Aug. 7, Robert Baldwin, 9 hrs. labor | 3.60 | |
| Aug. 7, Robert Baldwin, pump leather and labor | .70 | |
| Dec. 5, 1938, Robert Baldwin, 3 hrs. labor | 1.20 | |
| April 1, 1939, Robert Baldwin, 9 hrs. labor in cemetery | 3.60 | |

| | |
|---|---|
| April 8, Robert Baldwin, 5 hrs. labor in cemetery | 2.00 |
| June, Charles Richardson, care of Gale lot | 1.40 |
| June 10, Charles Richardson, 5 hrs. labor in cemetery | 2.00 |
| April 6, Charles Richardson, 9 hrs. labor on trees in cemetery | 3.60 |
| April 8, Charles Richardson, 8 hrs. raking lots | 3.20 |
| April 7, Charles Richardson, 7 hrs. work in cemetery | 2.80 |
| April 17, Charles Richardson, 4 hrs. work in cemetery | 1.60 |
| April 21, Charles Richardson, 3 hrs. work in cemetery | 1.20 |
| April 29, Charles Richardson, 4 hrs. work in cemetery | 1.60 |
| May 5, Charles Richardson, Sharpening lawn mower | 1.00 |
| May 6, Charles Richardson, 5½ hrs. work in cemetery | 2.20 |
| May 12, Charles Richardson, 1½ hrs. labor on Gale lot | .60 |
| May 23, Charles Richardson, 2½ hrs. work in cemetery | 1.00 |
| May 24-25, Charles Richardson, Work in Gale house | 1.20 |
| May 24, Charles Richardson, 5 hrs. work in cemetery | 2.00 |
| May 26, Charles Richardson, 2½ hrs. work on Gale lot | .60 |
| May 26, Charles Richardson, 4 hrs. work in cemetery | 1.60 |
| May 27, Charles Richardson, 5 hrs. work in cemetery | 2.00 |
| May 29-30, Charles Richardson, 6 hrs. work in cemetery | 2.40 |
| May 26 to 29, A. E. Ross, 20 hrs. work in cemetery | 8.00 |
| July 1, Fred West, cleaning toilet | 2.50 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| July 1, Wm. Blaisdell, work on monument | 2.50 | |
| Aug. 1, C. F. Knights, mowing | 2.20 | |
| Aug. 1, Eugene Miron, mowing cemetery, (man and team) | 9.00 | |
| Dec. 23, Rockingham Co. Farmers' Ins. Policy | 2.00 | |
| Dec. 7, Robert Baldwin, 4 hrs. labor, Gale house | 1.60 | |
| Dec. 30, Robert Baldwin, 4 hrs. labor, Gale house | 1.60 | |
| Aug.-Sept., C. A. Richardson, 3 hrs. mowing Gale lot | 1.20 | |
| Nov. 17, C. A. Richardson, 1 hr. work at Gale house | .40 | |
| Dec. 7, C. A. Richardson, 4 hrs. work at Gale house | 1.60 | |
| Dec. 18, C. A. Richardson, 4 hrs. work at Gale house | 1.60 | |
| Oct., C. F. Knights, mowing lot | 3.20 | |
| | | $ 120.95 |
| Rent from Jan. 31, 1938 to Jan. 31, 1939 | | $ 120.00 |
| Cash on hand Feb. 18, 1939 | | 67.94 |
| Total receipts | | $ 187.94 |
| Total expense | | 120.95 |
| Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1940 | | $ 66.99 |

A. A. ROSE,
Treasurer Gale Cemetery
Committee.

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Feb. 9, 1940.

We have this day examined the accounts of the Gale Cemetery Committee and find them properly cast and vouched for.

ABBIE M. WEBSTER,
DOROTHY H. MONTROSE,
Auditors.

# Report of Cemetery Committee for the Year Ending January 31, 1940

**On Expenditures of $35.00 Raised by Town for Union and Old Cemeteries**

UNION CEMETERY

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. 27, Wallace Pierce, 6 hrs. | $ 2.40 | |
| Apr. 27, Philip N. Tilton, 6 hrs. | 2.40 | |
| May 27, Philip N. Tilton, 5 hrs. | 2.00 | |
| May 29, Philip N. Tilton, 6 hrs. | 2.40 | |
| June 15, John Hoyt, 6 hrs. | 2.40 | |
| June 30, John Hoyt, 7 hrs. | 2.80 | |
| July 11, John Hoyt, 3 hrs. | 1.20 | |
| July 11, Philip N. Tilton, 3 hrs. | 1.20 | |
| July 21, John Hoyt, 4 hrs. | 1.60 | |
| July 21, Charles Meeks, 4 hrs. | 1.60 | |
| July 21, Philip N. Tilton, 4 hrs. | 1.60 | |
| Aug. 5, Philip N. Tilton, 5 hrs. | 2.00 | |
| Sept. 6, Philip N. Tilton, 5½ hrs. | 2.20 | |
| | | $25.80 |

OLD CEMETERY

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| May 29, Philip N. Tilton, 1 hr. | $ .40 | |
| July 24, Charles Meeks, 8 hrs. | 3.20 | |
| July 24, Philip N. Tilton, 8 hrs. | 3.20 | |
| July 25, Charles Meeks, 3 hrs. | 1.20 | |
| July 25, Philip N. Tilton, 3 hrs. | 1.20 | |
| | | 9.20 |
| | | $35.00 |

ARCHIE A. ROSE,
L. B. TILTON,
For Cemetery Committee.

Feb. 9, 1940.

We have this day examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

ABBIE M. WEBSTER,
DOROTHY H. MONTROSE,
Auditors.

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Interest from Etta Sawyer Fund to C. A. Richardson

| | |
|---|---|
| 1939 | |
| Labor on old lots in cemetery | $ 5.00 |
| Labor on stones | 2.00 |
| Labor on filling sunken graves | 6.00 |
| Labor on driveway | 2.00 |
| | $15.00 |

A. A. ROSE,
L. B. TILTON,
C. A. RICHARDSON,
Cemetery Committee.

# ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

# SCHOOL DISTRICT

of

# EAST KINGSTON, N. H.

## For the Year 1938-1939

# Officers of East Kingston School District 1939-1940

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**School Board**

Mrs. Margaret C. Tilton, Chairman .....Term expires 1942
Alcide E. Miron .....Term expires 1941
Mrs. Annie G. Richardson .....Term expires 1940

**Superintendent of Schools**

H. Raymond Danforth, M. Ed.

**Treasurer**

Mrs. Bessie Monahan

**Auditors**

Charles A. Currier  Robert W. Baldwin

**Moderator**

John C. Hilliard

**Clerk**

A. Warren Webster

**Truant Officer**

George Gatcomb

**School Nurse**

Mrs. Constance Cooper, R. N.

# School Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of East Kingston, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the East Kingston Town Hall, in said district, on the 19th day of March, 1940 at 8 o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensations of any officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors, and Committees, in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

9. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said East Kingston, this 19th day of January, 1940.

MRS. MARGARET C. TILTON,
ALCIDE E. MIRON,
MRS. ANNIE G. RICHARDSON,
School Board of East Kingston.

## School Board Budget

**From July 1, 1940 to June 30, 1941**

To be voted on at annual school meeting March 19, 1940:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Teachers' salaries | | $2,137.00 |
| Textbooks | | 75.00 |
| Scholars' supplies | | 60.00 |
| Flags and appurtenances | | 5.00 |
| Other expenses of instruction | | 10.00 |
| Janitor service | | 100.00 |
| Fuel | | 108.00 |
| Water, light, janitor's supplies | | 40.00 |
| Minor repairs and expenses | | 50.00 |
| Health supervision | | 119.00 |
| Transportation of pupils | | 1,075.00 |
| Other special activities | | 10.00 |
| Total for "Support of Schools" | | $3,789.00 |
| Deduct State Aid | $1,275.00 | |
| Deduct Fund Income | 175.00 | |
| Deduct Dog Tax | 75.00 | |
| | | 1,525.00 |
| Balance to raise by district tax for support of schools | | $2,264.00 |
| Salaries of district officers | | 120.00 |
| Town's share of Superintendent's salary | | 70.00 |
| Truant Officer, school census | | 15.00 |
| Expenses of administration | | 30.00 |
| High School tuitions | | 2,055.00 |
| Insurance | | 50.00 |
| Alterations of old buildings | | 50.00 |

| | |
|---|---|
| $2 per capita tax | 148.00 |
| Grand total to raise by district tax for all school purposes | $4,802.00 |

Respectfully submitted,

M. C. TILTON,
A. E. MIRON,
A. G. RICHARDSON,
School Board of East Kingston.

# Financial Report of the School Board

**July 1, 1938-June 30, 1939**

RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|---|
| Cash on hand, July 1, 1938 | $ 99.46 |
| Equalization fund | 1,389.71 |
| District Tax for: | |
| Support of elementary schools | 2,087.00 |
| Payment of High School tuitions | 2,135.00 |
| Salaries of district officers | 120.00 |
| Payment of per capita tax | 118.00 |
| Special appropriations | 150.00 |
| Obligations | 190.00 |
| Dog licenses | 85.80 |
| Income from Towle and Morrill Trust Funds | 188.52 |
| Total receipts | 6,563.49 |

PAYMENTS

| | |
|---|---|
| Salaries of district officers | $ 120.00 |
| Superintendent's excess salary | 106.67 |
| Truant officers and school census | 15.00 |
| Expenses of administration | 20.32 |
| Principals' and teachers' salaries | 2,148.00 |
| Text books | 85.16 |
| Scholars' supplies | 50.58 |
| Expenses of instruction | 5.82 |
| Janitor service | 75.00 |
| Fuel | 107.85 |
| Water, light, and janitor's supplies | 46.27 |
| Minor repairs and expenses | 61.80 |
| Medical inspection | 88.15 |
| Transportation of pupils | 1,074.39 |
| High school and academy tuitions | 2,089.46 |
| Other special activities | 2.50 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| $2 per capita tax | 118.00 | |
| Alterations to old buildings | 150.00 | |
| Total cash on hand June 30, 1939 | 198.52 | |
| Total payments | | 6,563.49 |

MARGARET C. TILTON,
ALCIDE E. MIRON,
ANNIE G. RICHARDSON,
School Board.

HAROLD C. BOWLEY, Superintendent

June 30, 1939.

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## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of East Kingston, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CHARLES A. CURRIER,
ROBERT W. BALDWIN,
Auditors.

July 10, 1939

# Annual Report of District Treasurer

## Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1939

School District of East Kingston

SUMMARY

| | |
|---|---|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1938 | $ 99.46 |
| Received from selectmen | 4,800.00 |
| Received from Dog tax | 85.80 |
| Income from trust funds | 188.52 |
| Received from State treasurer | 1,389.71 |
| Total amount available for fiscal year | $6,563.49 |
| Less School Board orders paid | 6,364.97 |
| Balance on hand June 30, 1939 | $ 198.52 |

BESSIE A. MONAHAN,
District Treasurer.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of East Kingston, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1939, and find them correct in all respects.

CHARLES A. CURRIER,
ROBERT W. BALDWIN,
Auditors.

July 10, 1939

## BALANCE SHEET

### Assets, June 30, 1939

| | |
|---|---|
| Cash on hand, balance June 30, 1939 | $198.52 |
| Total assets | 198.52 |

### Liabilities, June 30, 1939

| | |
|---|---|
| Equalization Fund, unexpended | $ 26.25 |
| Excess of assets over liabilities | 172.27 |
| Total payments | $198.52 |

### Estimated Financial Condition of District, June 30, 1940

Assets

| | |
|---|---|
| District Treasurer's cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1940 | $ 411.20 |
| Due from town, balance 1939-40 appropriation | 1,893.67 |
| Balance, dog tax, 1939 (due April 1, 1940) | 90.30 |
| Income from trust funds | 80.00 |
| | $2,475.17 |

Liabilities

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Estimated expenditures Jan. 31, 1940 to June 30, 1940 | $2,675.00 | |
| Estimated deficit, due to additional High School tuitions | 200.00 | |

## Superintendent's Report

To the School Board and Citizens of East Kingston:

I herewith present my first annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

As you well know, the school year runs from July 1st to June 30th, and as I became your Superintendent, August 1, 1939, there is little for me to report on, for that school year. I shall present the various statistical reports for that period and make one or two comments, thus making this, the shortest report on record for some time.

First, I shall list the pupils, along with the parents, who were perfect in attendance for the year 1938-39.

| Pupil | Parent |
|---|---|
| Ralph Bowley | Oscar Bowley |
| Roland Bowley | Oscar Bowley |
| George Ritchie | William Ritchie |
| Florence Sullivan | William Sullivan |

The following information gives a brief summary of statistical data about the school year, 1938-39.

| | |
|---|---|
| Average per cent of attendance | 95.42 |
| No. pupils enrolled | 65 |
| Average membership | 63.12 |
| No. of graduates | 3 |
| No. in High School (Sept., 1939) | 22 |
| Visits by School Board | 11 |
| Visits by Superintendent | 43 |
| Visits by School Nurse | 54 |
| Visits by Music Teacher | 68 |
| Visits by Others | 108 |

### Graduates of Eighth Grade, June 1939

Doris G. Bowley Janette E. Ross Virginia M. Burdg

Next, I present two charts which give a comparative picture of "Per pupil costs for the Towns in the Union" and "All School Costs per $1,000 Equalized Valuation."

### Per Pupil Costs of Schools in Supervisory Union No. 14 By Towns 1938-39

| | |
|---|---|
| Epping, High School | 83.52 |
| Epping, Elementary | 49.78 |
| Brentwood, Elementary | 82.09 |
| Danville, Elementary | 90.69 |
| East Kingston, Elementary | 65.48 |
| Fremont, Elementary | 64.72 |
| Kingston, Elementary | 72.61 |
| Sandown, Elementary | 66.64 |
| South Hampton, Elementary | 82.68 |

### All School Costs Per $1,000 Equalized Valuation

| | Total | State Aid | Net |
|---|---|---|---|
| Epping | 17.58 | 5.24 | 12.34 |
| Danville | 20.60 | 4.29 | 16.31 |
| Sandown | 15.89 | 5.63 | 10.26 |
| South Hampton | 15.91 | 5.12 | 10.79 |
| East Kingston | 15.73 | 3.39 | 11.34 |
| Kingston | 13.65 | 2.52 | 11.13 |
| Brentwood | 15.82 | 5.19 | 10.63 |
| Fremont | 13.31 | 2.90 | 10.41 |

In closing, I want to thank the School Board and the teachers for their immediate cooperation and the friendly spirit of helpfulness which I believe has made the transition from one administration to another possible with a minimum of loss in educational efficiency.

H. RAYMOND DANFORTH,
Superintendent of Schools.

## HEALTH SUPERVISION

Of the 58 pupils examined during the school year, 1938-39, the following were found and treatments or defects corrected:

| | No. of Cases | No. of treatments or defects corrected |
|---|---|---|
| Underweight | 4 | 4 |
| Defective Vision | 2 | 2 |
| Anemia | 2 | 2 |
| Nervous Condition | 3 | 3 |
| Defective teeth | 30 | 28 |
| Defective breathing | 2 | 2 |
| Enlarged glands | 4 | 4 |
| Defective speech | 1 | 1 |
| Chicken Pox | 3 | |
| Measles | 6 | |
| Pediculosis | 2 | |
| Skin Diseases | 7 | |

### Report of Dental Clinic

| | |
|---|---|
| No. of pupils examined by dentist | 28 |
| No. of pupils needing extractions | 7 |
| No. of pupils with cavities | 24 |
| No. of pupils needing teeth cleaned | 19 |
| No. pupils treated | 28 |
| No. pupils receiving complete care | 28 |
| No. pupils receiving free care | 26 |
| No. pupils paying full cost | 1 |
| No. pupils paying part cost | 1 |
| No. pupils receiving dental certificates | 28 |
| Total no. cleanings | 19 |
| Total no. extractions | 25 |
| Total no. operations | 167 |

This Dental Clinic was financed by the East Kingston Grange, and all the Dental Work being done by Dr. Logan, of Exeter, N. H.

CONSTANCE COOPER, R. N.

## BIRTHS REGISTERED IN EAST KINGSTON, N. H. FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1939

| Date of Birth '39 | Name | Living or Stillborn | Sex | Color | Number | Father's Name | Mother's Maiden Name | Birthplace of Parents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Feb. 14 | Larry Holmes Montrose | L | M | W | 1st | Frederick P. Montrose | Dorothy F. Holmes | Marlboro, Mass.<br>E. Kingston, N. H. |
| Aug. 4 | ———Young | L | F | W | 3rd | Harold R. Young | Minerva L. Warwick | Salisbury, Mass.<br>Salisbury, Mass. |
| Sept. 30 | Joan Florence Wilson | L | F | W | 2nd | Stanley W. Wilson | Frances L. McKenzie | Haverhill, Mass.<br>New Brunswick |
| Dec. 22 | Madeline Connelly | L | F | W | | Leo Connelly | Ina Clement | Cambridge, Mass.<br>E. Kingston, N. H. |

## MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN TOWN OF EAST KINGSTON, N. H.
## FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1939

| Date 1939 | Place of Marriage | Name and Surname of Bride and Groom | Age | Color | Names of Parents | Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| May 9 | E. Kingston, N. H. | Carroll B. Lank, Jr. | 21 | W | Carroll B. Lank<br>Margaret F. Ring | John C. Hilliard<br>East Kingston, N. H. |
| | | Eleanor E. Fall | 18 | W | Roy H. Fall<br>Eva Coates | Justice of the Peace |
| June 17 | Shapleigh, Me. | William H. Bruce | 30 | W | John R. Bruce<br>Hattie Mace | Leroy S. Patch<br>Shapleigh, Me. |
| | | Cora R. Dickie | 27 | W | David Dickie<br>Alberta Hersey | Justice of the Peace |
| June 24 | East Kingston | Wesley R. Floyd | 28 | W | Rufus B. Floyd<br>Nancie I. Moore | E Ray Burchell<br>Kingston, N. H. |
| | | Hazel B. Webster | 24 | W | Leslie E. Webster<br>Ada A. Brown | Minister |
| Dec. 10 | Seabrook, N. H. | Ronald J. Harper | 34 | W | William Harper<br>Sanry Hatt | David C. Chase<br>Seabrook, N. H. |
| | | Emily E. Sanderson | 26 | W | John L. Sanderson<br>Emily Ashness | Justice of the Peace |
| Dec. 30 | E. Kingston, N. H. | Lawrence A. Johnson | 28 | W | Carl A. Johnson<br>Esther V. Saxman | Will C. Chappell<br>Danville, N. H. |
| | | Alberta R. Morrill | 28 | W | George E. Morrill<br>Carrie A. Frost | Clergyman |

## DEATHS REGISTERED IN TOWN OF EAST KINGSTON, N. H. FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1939

| Date 1939 | Name of Deceased | Age Y | Age M | Age D | Place of Birth | Color | M or F | M, W, S | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Feb. 28 | "Baby Boy" Somers | 0 | 0 | 0 | Amesbury, Mass. | W | M | S | John A. Somers | Mamie D. Rowe |
| Mar. 8 | Gilbert N. West | 78 | 5 | 17 | Brentwood, N. H. | W | M | W | Joseph West | Not known |
| Mar. 31 | George A. Robinson | 76 | 0 | 8 | Exeter, N. H. | W | M | M | Jonathan W. Robinson | Mary Rollins |
| June 13 | Pythias D. Woodworth | 72 | 1 | 15 | Nova Scotia | W | M | M | William C. Woodworth | Eunice Litch |
| Sept. 1 | Edward J. Conley | 41 | 6 | 6 | Boston, Mass. | W | M | M | John Conley | Mary Casey |
| *Sept. 14 | Alice Gove | 56 | 4 | 28 | Salem, N. H. | W | F | W | Joseph A. Robbins | Sarah J. Bubier |
| Oct. 31 | Leslie E. Webster | 65 | 5 | 4 | So. Kingston, N. H. | W | M | M | Albert P. Webster | Betsy L. Webster |
| Nov. 7 | Hattie May Bruce | 70 | 6 | 20 | Augusta, Me. | W | F | M | ——— Fox | Unknown |
| *Nov. 9 | Albert L. Rowell | 67 | 8 | 22 | Rochester, N. H. | W | M | M | Hiram L. Rowell | Clara F. Batchelder |
| *Dec. 13 | Grace T. F. Miller | 52 | | | Strafford, N. H. | W | F | M | Loring K. Foss | Lizzie H. Mason |

*Brought here for burial